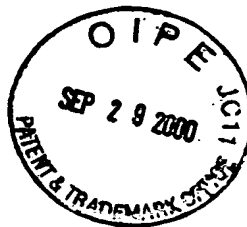


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LETTER TO THE OFFICIAL DRAFTSMAN

Dear Sir:

This is in response to the Request for Formal Drawings mailed with the Notice of Allowability on July 26, 2000. Applicant submits herewith three (3) sheets of formal drawings.

Respectfully Submitted,

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